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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of: Jong-Kwon Kim et al.

Atty. Docket: 5000-1-328

Serial No.

10/645,189

Group Art Unit: 2613

Filed:

August 21, 2003

Examiner: Marina Y. Taranina

Title:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SUPPLYING POWER TO MEDIA

CONVERTERS FOR OPTICAL COMMUNICATION

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to restore the subject application, indicated by the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) to be abandoned, to pending status on the ground that Applicant never received an Office Action.

FACTS

- 1. Applicants' attorney has conducted a follow up on the pending matter and discovered that the subject application is considered by the PTO have been abandoned by Applicant's failure to respond to an Office Action mailed on October 18, 2006.
- 2. Applicant never had the opportunity to respond to the Office Action by the prescribed due date, as attested to by the accompanying Declarations of Steve Cha and Lorraine Callahan under 1156 O.G. 53.

RELIEF REQUESTED

The Assistant Commissioner is respectfully requested to restore the subject application to pending status and resend the Office Action mailed on October 18, 2006.

FEE

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit

Account No. 502-470 for any petition fee which may be due. However, since it is believed
that the holding of abandonment is the result of circumstances not attributable to any fault
of Applicants or their representatives, it is respectfully suggested that no fee is due.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone at (201)226-9245. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Cha,

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DECLARATION OF Steve Cha <u>UNDER 1156 O.G. 53</u>

Sir:

I, the undersigned Steve Cha, declare and say that:

- 1. I am a patent attorney for Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., and I am the attorney who is primarily responsible for prosecution of the subject patent application and is listed on the originally filed Power of Attorney form, which was filed on August 21, 2003.
- 2. The Notice of Office Action at issue was not received by Applicant. To attest to this fact, I have personally searched the file jacket of the subject application and found no record of any such Office Action. According to the examiner, the Office Action was mailed to our previous address at 411 Hackensack Ave, 9th Floor, Hackensack, NJ 07601.
- 3. Our office has moved from the previous address to the current address at 210 Route 4 East #103, Paramus, NJ 07652 at about November of 2003. Prior to the relocation, all the applications in our office including this patent application at issue was associated with our Customer number (33942). To attest this fact, applicant encloses a

copy of application filed on November 19, 2003, including the patent application transmittal form, bearing our customer number (See Exhibit A)

- 4. After the relocation to our current address on November of 2003, a petition to update our address associated with our Customer number was filed on January 30, 2004, and later processed by the Patent and Trademark Office. Since then, our office has been receiving all the correspondences associated with our Customer number correctly to our new location. (See Exhibit B)
- 5. I have checked the pair system for this particular case. However, the system still has our old address despite our request to update to the new address on January 30, 2004. However, the system lists our new phone number.
- 6. After evidencing the correct association of this patent application with our Customer number and petitioning to update the address associated with our Customer number on January 30, 2004 after the relocation, our office has been waiting for the Office Action at the new address as we felt the update was performed diligently.
- 7. Further, after a personal search of the file jacket and reviewing the pertinent records, including the Declaration of Lorraine Callahan and the docket records, I conclude that the Office Action was never received by our office at the correct address.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that the statement and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title XVIII of United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issued thereon.

Dated: May 24, 2007

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DECLARATION OF Lorraine Callahan <u>UNDER 1156 O.G. 53</u>

Sir:

I, the undersigned LORRAINE CALLAHAN, declare and say that:

- 1. I am the Docketing Manager for Cha & Reiter, LLC. My responsibilities include docketing the receipt of documents from the Patent and Trademark Office, maintaining records of such documents and periods for response thereunder. All communications from the Patent and Trademark Office are directed to me immediately upon receipt within the company.
- 2. I maintain a computerized Attorney Master Docket in which is recorded the due date for responding to Office Actions and Communications received from the Patent and Trademark Office. I would have recorded the due date for the Office Action related in our incoming logging sheet and Attorney Master Docket. A copy of incoming mail log, from year 2005, listing all communication from the United States Patent and Trademark Office is attached hereto. (Exhibit C) As the Office Action was never received, the due date was not entered into our computer system.

3. Accordingly, from a review of all of the above-referenced records, it is my belief that the firm of Cha & Reiter, LLC did not receive the Office Action.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this Application or any patent issued thereon.

Date: May 24, 2007

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PTO/SB/05 (11-00) Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. 5000-1-328 UTILITY Attorney Docket No. PATENT APPLICATION Jong-Kwon KIM et al. First Inventor TRANSMITTAL SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ... Express Mail Label No. EV 326741878 US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Assistant Commissioner for Patents APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: **Box Patent Application** See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Washington, DC 20231 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) pedification [Total Pages elerred arrangement set forth below) Specification 3. X Computer Readable Form (CRF) - Descriptive title of the invention Specification Sequence Listing on: - Cross Reference to Related Applications i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, ii. paper or a computer program listing appendix Statements verifying identity of above copies - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Claim(s) Power of 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement - Abstract of the Disclosure 10 (when there is an assignee) Attorney English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets] Copies of IDS Information Disclosure 12. 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3 Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 13. **Preliminary Amendment** Newly executed (original or copy) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (for continuationIdivisional with Box 18 completed) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. lx (Should be specifically itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)** 15. X Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. Other: 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:_ Prior application information: Examiner Group Art Unit: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS 33942 Customer Number or Bar Code Label Correspondence address below (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) Name Address

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor (s), I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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